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TO: Dr. Joel Boyd, Superintendent

FROM: Robin Desmond, Chief Academic Officer

DATE: January 14, 2022

RE: Request for Home Education

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The following parents/guardians seek permission to home educate their children:

Rochelle Holland

Kathleen Emerson

Under General Laws Chapter 76, Section 1, Home Education is constitutionally permissible. Therefore, I recommend approval of this request.

If granted, the number of families approved by the Lowell School Committee to home school will total **113** and the total number of children will be **161**.